

# ON-SCENE COMMANDERS

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# Overview



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- **Emergency Response Triad**
- **Security Forces Responses**
  - **General Emergencies**
  - **Bomb Threats/Suspicious Devices**
  - **Hostage/ Hijacking**
  - **Terrorist Attacks**
- **Lessons Learned**
- **Way Ahead**
  - **Training (TTP and formalized IC/OSC)**
  - **Equipment (BEDAL and Non-Lethal tool**
  - **DoD Force Protection facilities standards**





# Emergency Response Triad



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- **Security Forces**
  - **Usually first on scene**
    - **Initial OSC/IC for criminal incidents**
- **Fire Department**
  - **Initial OSC/IC for Fire, air and ground**

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- **Medical**
  - **Primary support for FD/SF managed responses**
  - **BIO expertise for WMD**
  - **Med-Evac coordinator**



# Security Forces Response

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- **General Emergencies**
  - **Attend to injured**
  - **Establish entry control**
  - **Establish cordon**
  - **Evacuate non-essentials**





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# **Security Forces** **Responses**

- **Provide Critical Information**
  - **Initial incident site and ECP**
    - **Fire Dept determines final ECP**
- **Determine relevant facts**
  - **Pass to DCG**
- **Status of cordon / evacuation**
- **Limited SF resources**



# **Security Forces Responses**



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- **Bomb Threats / Suspicious Devices**  
**(Two separate incident types)**
  - **Cordon - 500'**
  - **Evacuation**
  - **General location**
    - **MWD & owner user conduct sweep**
  - **Specific location or suspicious device**
    - **EOD render-safe operations**



# **Security Forces Responses**



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- **Bomb Threats / Suspicious Devices**
  - Resist urge for speed
  - MOA with local authorities if no EOD
  - Evaluate each situation on its own merits
- **Military Working Dog Capabilities**
  - Detection
  - Patrol work



# Security Forces Responses



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- **Hostage / Hijacking**
  - **Cordon / Block A/C**
  - **Gather Intel data**
    - Blueprints
    - Witnesses, victims, location experts
    - Medical records (Suspect & Victims)
  - **Establish Comm/Command Center**
  - **Jurisdiction**
    - FAA/FBI







# Security Forces Responses



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- **Terrorist Attacks**

- **7-Step Operational Cycle**

- Target Selection
    - Surveillance
    - Final Target Selection
    - Planning
    - Final Surveillance
    - Deployment of Attack Team
    - Attack



- **Active Defense during pre-attack/attack phases**

- FPCON declaration
    - Security posting and augmentation
    - Support requirements (LG/FD/MDG)

- **Post Attack**

- Threat elimination
    - Base Recovery
    - Coordinate with OSI/FBI to secure crime scene





# **Lessons Learned**



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- **Common Threads across AF Installations**
  - **Develop Installation Plan**
  - **Practice plan/Exercise DCG**
  - **Consistency in response**
  - **Ensure First-Responders are well equipped and physically fit for crisis intervention**
  - **Get your CSF and SFO to formalized OSC/IC courses**
  - **Coordinate with local and other Federal agencies**
    - **Prior to incident**
    - **Develop HTSA, MOU/MOA for specialized team not available at your installation (EST/EOD/BIO)**



# **Way Ahead**

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- **Training**
  - **TTP focus in Tech school**
  - **Formalized IC/OSC for senior SF leadership**
- **Equipment**
  - **BEDAL**
  - **Non-lethal tools**
  - **Weaponry (M-4/M-24)**
- **DoD Force Protection standards**
  - **Facility Design**
  - **Standoff**
  - **Blast mitigation**

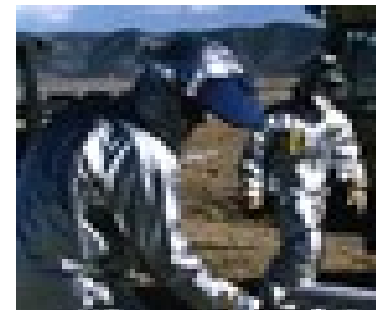
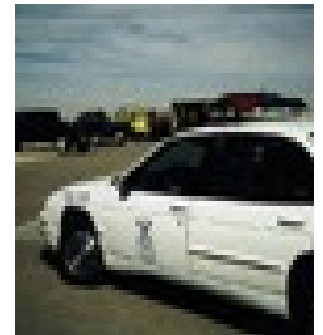
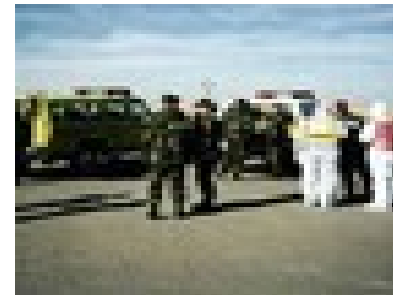


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**QUESTIONS?**